

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Stout  
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Title: BIO-SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM

Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed on January 9, 2008. Claims 1-32, 34-36 and 38-46 remain in this application. Claims 1, 22, 39 and 42 have been amended, claims 33 and 37 have been cancelled, and claims 45 and 46 have been added. Please amend the application as follows.